

Duvall News

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Community,

Summer is in full swing. With all of the great weather comes the heat. I want to thank the Visitor Center for remaining open the 2nd week of July to help folks out that needed a break from the heat. If the temperature remains high, I will ask the Visitor Center to open again. If you have children, I hope you have taken them to the beach at McCormick Park or walked along the trail with your dog. If you do visit, please be careful of leaving your pets in your car. And keep in mind that the river is cold and the current is strong.

McCormick Park is where our summer concerts are. This year we are moving the stage to the larger portion of the park to accommodate more people at the concerts and reduce the dust. Please let us know if you like the new location. In addition to SummerStage, please visit the Farmers Market. It is a great place to meet with friends and try different foods out or take something home to cook later.

I would like to thank the Duvall Foundation of the Arts for organizing another wonderful Sandblast event. It was a great success and I know many families had fun.

The improvements to Cherry Valley Road, and the addition of the sidewalk should be completed by the time you read this. Our Public Works staff has worked very hard with the contractor in making sure we complete the project on time and within budget.

Finally, we want to recognize the many volunteers within our community. We recently created the Volunteer of the Month. If you have someone you would like to nominate, please let us know. In addition, each year we nominate an adult and a youth Volunteer of the Year. If you know of someone who has really contributed to Duvall in a special way for 2013, please let us know.

Thank you and enjoy August!

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City of Duvall offices will be closed for the following holiday:

September 1st (Monday) in Observance of Labor Day



TAX RELIEF FOR SENIORS AND THE DISABLED

Did you know that state law provides two tax benefit programs for senior citizens and the disabled. Under certain circumstances, you may be eligible for a property tax deferral or exemption.

For additional information, call King County at 206-296-3920 or online at:

http://www.kingcounty.gov/Assessor/ TaxpayerAssistance/TaxRelief.aspx

NEW SERVICE FROM POLICE DEPARTMENT



uvall Police Department now has a certified Child Passenger Seat Safety Technician to give caregivers personalized instruction on how to properly install a car seat in a vehicle as well as how to properly secure a child in the car seat.

If you are a citizen of the City of Duvall, you may contact Sergeant Batiot for an appointment at 425 -939-8004 or email at lori.batiot@duvallwa.gov.

WE FORGOT!

Waste Management is a 2014 SummerStage Sponsor at the Festival level. Duvall Cultural Commission thanks all of our generous sponsors!



DUVALL POLICE DEPARTMENT'S FIRST NATIONAL NIGHT OUT!

Join us the evening of August 5th for a great way to meet your neighbors, learn more about our community and meet some of the people who work to make Duvall a wonderful place to live, work, play and visit.

Date: Tuesday, August 5th Time: 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Location: McCormick Park / Duvall Police Department

Bouncy houses! / Hot Dogs! (vegetarian on request)/ Live Music! / Laser tag! / Emergency Vehicles!/ Humane Society's Maxmobile! And More!

An evening of fun and it's FREE!

See below for information about the Public Works Open House, also happening the same night.

PUBLIC WORKS OPEN HOUSE

The 2014 National Public Works Week theme, "Building for today, Planning for tomorrow" recognizes that what we do today is vital to a sustainable and vibrant tomorrow. Public Works plays a key role in the planning, building and maintenance of infrastructure projects in their communities that will allow future generations to enjoy a higher quality of life.



At the National Night Out event the City of Duvall will have a Public Works Open House on Tuesday, August 5th from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. in the Depot Park Parking Lot. We want to raise public awareness of our services and activities related to the maintenance & operations of roads (road construction, snow removal, and traffic signs) as well as public parks (pathways, trees and playgrounds). It also highlights the hard work and dedication of public works professionals in our community.

This free event offers fun activities, giveaways including a chance to win a rain barrel. Check out the construction equipment, learn about water treatment & conservation, wastewater treatment & what the Public Works Department does each & every day!

SAVE THE DATES!!

Mark your calendars for the following community events coming in September! More information coming soon.



Duvall Art Walk - Saturday, September 6th Heritage Festival - Saturday, September 27th Outdoor Quilt Show - Saturday, September 27th

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 14th & 28th: City Council Meetings - 7:00 p.m. in the Duvall Visitor Center, 15619 Main Street NE (Committee of the Whole begins at 5:30 p.m.)

August 6th & 20th: Planning Commission Meeting - 7:00 p.m. at the Duvall Visitor Center, 15619 Main Street NE